

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

September 30, 2013

Mr. Jon Crusey
City Manager
Tipp City Municipal Building
260 South Garber Drive
Tipp City, Ohio 45371

RE: Radio Frequency Interference
EB-FIELDNER-13-00009203

Dear Mr. Crusey:

The Federal Communications Commission has previously notified you by letter dated June 10, 2013, that it has received complaints of harmful radio interference possibly caused by equipment operated the Tipp City utility. This interference had been reported by an operator in the Amateur Radio Service. The complainant is:

(Name withheld)
(Address withheld)
Tipp City, OH 45371
Tel: (Number withheld)

In the June 10, 2013 letter, you were advised that this problem, if unresolved, could be a violation of Commission rules and could result in a monetary forfeiture. For this reason, we encouraged the parties involved to voluntarily resolve this matter without Commission intervention. If however it became necessary to facilitate a resolution, the Commission might investigate possible rules violations and address appropriate remedies, including monetary forfeiture.

You were further advised to inform the complainant within 60 days of what steps would be taken to correct this reported interference problem. In addition, if unable to resolve this matter within those 60 days, you were advised to inform this office about the nature of the problem, the steps being taken to resolve it and the estimated time in which those steps could be accomplished. Although you have responded to (namewithheld) within the specified time period, the harmful interference he reported to this office still remains unresolved.

In order to avoid possible enforcement action, please advise this office within 30 days of the date of receiving this letter of what action you have made, or intend to make, in order to identify and correct the source of these radio emissions if they are being caused by your equipment.

If you have any questions about this matter, please contact me in writing at: 1270 Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania 17325 or via telephone at: 717-338-2577.

Sincerely,

Laura L. Smith, Esq.
Special Counsel
Enforcement Bureau

cc: Detroit Field Office
Northeast Regional Director